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House Resolution No. 2494

Whereas, as the 2006-2007 school year draws to a close, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to applaud the career achievements of those individuals who are retiring from the field of education; and

Whereas, the Harrisburg R-VIII School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty with the retirement of Norma Jean Hill who has devoted several years of her life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as an educator; and

Whereas, Norma Hill has taught third grade for thirty-seven years at Harrisburg R-VIII, where she is held in high esteem as an educator who demonstrates considerable competence and remarkable degrees of compassion and understanding; and

Whereas, deeply committed to the great cause of learning, Norma Hill has touched the lives of countless youngsters by helping them form a solid educational foundation upon which to build in the future; and

Whereas, during her impressive tenure, Norma Hill has assisted at many extra-curricular activities, a few of which include MAP Camp, the Bicycle Rodeo, various reading and writing workshops, elementary basketball tournaments, as a member of numerous school committees; and

Whereas, Norma Hill has supported her profession as a member of the Community Teachers Association, the Missouri State Teachers Association, and Teachers Applying Whole Language; and

Whereas, Norma Hill has been blessed with the love and support of her wonderfully devoted husband, Richard Hill:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join the Harrisburg R-VIII School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Norma Hill has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing her the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that she so justly deserves; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Norma Jean Hill, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by	Representative Paul Quinn
	District No. 9
Ninety-fou certify that	on, Speaker of the House of Representatives, arth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do the above is a true and correct copy of House No. 2494, adopted April 23, 2007.
Rod Jetton	Speaker